

Table Title: Table 1 Value index and value of retail sales by type of retail outlet for July and August 2007

Value index of total retail sales for the month July 2007 was 126.6.

Value index of total retail sales for the month August 2007 was 122.2.

Value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 21314.

Value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 20578.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month July 2007 was +14.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month August 2007 was +15.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for total retail sales for the month January to August 2007 was +10.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2007 was 105.8.

Value index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month August 2007 was 111.3.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 1981.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 2085.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2007 was +6.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month August 2007 was +7.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month January to August 2007 was +6.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2007 was 95.7.

Value index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month August 2007 was 105.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 503.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 555.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2007 was +4.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month August 2007 was +4.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month January to August 2007 was +6.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2007 was 123.5.

Value index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month August 2007 was 122.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 206.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 203.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2007 was +7.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month August 2007 was +6.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month January to August 2007 was +1.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2007 was 93.2.

Value index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month August 2007 was 101.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2007

was \$HK million 379.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 410.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2007 was -0.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month August 2007 was +4.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month January to August 2007 was +3.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2007 was 109.8.

Value index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month August 2007 was 112.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 650.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 667.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2007 was +7.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month August 2007 was +7.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month January to August 2007 was +7.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2007 was 133.0.

Value index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month August 2007 was 135.5.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 244.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 248.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2007 was +18.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month August 2007 was +21.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month January to August 2007 was +14.4%.

Value index of supermarkets for the month July 2007 was 116.1.

Value index of supermarkets for the month August 2007 was 116.1.

Value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 2638.

Value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 2639.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month July 2007 was +6.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month August 2007 was +8.2%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for supermarkets for the month January to August 2007 was +4.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2007 was 111.2.

Value index of retail outlets of fuels for the month August 2007 was 119.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 557.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 599.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2007 was -2.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month August 2007 was +4.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month January to August 2007 was -1.0%.

Value index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2007 was 142.1.

Value index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month August 2007 was 115.2.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 3188.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 2586.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2007 was +16.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month August 2007 was +15.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month January to August 2007 was +14.5%.

Value index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2007 was 143.2.

Value index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month August 2007 was 111.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 2756.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 2143.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2007 was +15.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month August 2007 was +15.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month January to August 2007 was +14.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2007 was 135.5.

Value index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month August 2007 was 138.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 433.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 443.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2007 was +19.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month August 2007 was +20.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month January to August 2007 was +14.4%.

Value index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2007 was 121.9.

Value index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month August 2007 was 131.8.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 3466.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 3750.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2007 was +27.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month August 2007 was +17.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month January to August 2007 was +11.2%.

Value index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2007 was 143.3.

Value index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month August 2007 was 156.6.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 1044.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 1141.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2007 was +53.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month

August 2007 was +15.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month January to August 2007 was +17.7%.

Value index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2007 was 116.0.

Value index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month August 2007 was 126.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 1580.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 1722.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2007 was +25.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month August 2007 was +26.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month January to August 2007 was +12.3%.

Value index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2007 was 118.5.

Value index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month August 2007 was 116.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 493.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 482.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2007 was +9.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month August 2007 was +7.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month January to August 2007 was +9.3%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was 103.5.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was 119.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 350.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 405.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was +2.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was +3.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to August 2007 was -5.1%.

Value index of department stores for the month July 2007 was 120.6.

Value index of department stores for the month August 2007 was 118.7.

Value of retail sales for department stores for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 2081.

Value of retail sales for department stores for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 2047.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month July 2007 was +9.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month August 2007 was +11.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for department stores for the month January to August 2007 was +9.8%.

Value index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2007 was 148.7.

Value index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month August 2007 was 139.5.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 3218.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 3018.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2007 was +26.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month August 2007 was +36.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month January to August 2007 was +20.2%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2007 was 130.4.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month August 2007 was 120.1.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 4185.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 3855.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2007 was +10.1%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month August 2007 was +10.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month January to August 2007 was +9.2%.

Value index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2007 was 124.8.

Value index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month August 2007 was 135.1.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 585.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 633.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2007 was +7.4%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month August 2007 was +4.9%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month January to August 2007 was +5.0%.

Value index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2007 was 135.6.

Value index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month August 2007 was 128.7.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 330.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 313.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2007 was +31.5%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month August 2007 was +17.8%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month January to August 2007 was +16.9%.

Value index of optical shops for the month July 2007 was 137.5.

Value index of optical shops for the month August 2007 was 129.5.

Value of retail sales for optical shops for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 181.

Value of retail sales for optical shops for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 170.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month July 2007 was +24.6%.
Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month August 2007 was +12.6%.
Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for optical shops for the month January to August 2007 was +21.0%.

Value index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2007 was 123.0.

Value index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month August 2007 was 115.1.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 1502.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 1405.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2007 was +7.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month August 2007 was +8.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month January to August 2007 was +7.6%.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was 138.6.

Value index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was 116.4.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 1588.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 1333.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was +8.3%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was +15.0%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to August 2007 was +9.7%.

Note:

1. The figures for supermarkets above do not include sales in supermarket sections of department stores. Supplementary statistics that included such sales are shown below.

Value index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2007 was 116.3.

Value index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month August 2007 was 116.0.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2007 was \$HK million 2876.

Value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month August 2007 was \$HK million 2871.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2007 was +5.6%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month August 2007 was +7.7%.

Year-on-year % change of value of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month January to August 2007 was +4.5%.

2. Figures for the month July 2007 are revised figures.

3. Figures for the month August 2007 are provisional figures.

4. Value index monthly average of Oct. 2004 - Sep. 2005=100.

5. The sum of individual items and the total shown might not exactly tally because of rounding.

Table Title: Table 2 Volume index of retail sales by type of retail outlet for July and August 2007

Volume index of total retail sales for the month July 2007 was 122.9.

Volume index of total retail sales for the month August 2007 was 119.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month July 2007 was +12.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month August 2007 was +12.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for total retail sales for the month January to August 2007 was +8.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2007 was 98.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month August 2007 was 101.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month July 2007 was +0.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month August 2007 was -0.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of food, alcoholic drinks and tobacco (other than supermarkets) for the month January to August 2007 was +2.3%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2007 was 82.4.

Volume index of retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month August 2007 was 89.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month July 2007 was -6.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month August 2007 was -9.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fish, livestock and poultry, fresh or frozen for the month January to August 2007 was -0.2%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2007 was 105.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month August 2007 was 100.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month July 2007 was +7.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month August 2007 was +6.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fruits and vegetables, fresh for the month January to August 2007 was -3.1%.

Volume index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2007 was 89.9.

Volume index of retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month August 2007 was 96.9.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month July 2007 was -4.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month August 2007 was -0.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of bread, pastry, confectionery and biscuits for the month January to August 2007 was +0.3%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2007 was 103.8.

Volume index of retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month August 2007 was 105.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month July 2007 was +1.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month August 2007 was +0.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other foodstuffs for the month

January to August 2007 was +3.2%.

Volume index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2007 was 137.1.

Volume index of retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month August 2007 was 136.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month July 2007 was +17.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month August 2007 was +18.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of alcoholic drinks and tobacco for the month January to August 2007 was +13.4%.

Volume index of supermarkets for the month July 2007 was 113.5.

Volume index of supermarkets for the month August 2007 was 112.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month July 2007 was +4.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month August 2007 was +5.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for supermarkets for the month January to August 2007 was +3.0%.

Volume index of retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2007 was 102.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of fuels for the month August 2007 was 109.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month July 2007 was -1.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month August 2007 was +4.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of fuels for the month January to August 2007 was +1.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2007 was 136.0.

Volume index of retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month August 2007 was 114.0.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month July 2007 was +8.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month August 2007 was +10.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of clothing, footwear and allied products for the month January to August 2007 was +7.7%.

Volume index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2007 was 135.1.

Volume index of retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month August 2007 was 108.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month July 2007 was +7.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month August 2007 was +8.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of wearing apparel for the month January to August 2007 was +6.9%.

Volume index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2007 was 141.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month August 2007 was 147.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month July 2007 was +19.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month August 2007 was +19.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of footwear, allied products and other clothing accessories for the month January to August 2007 was +12.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month July 2007 was 137.8.

Volume index of retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month August 2007 was 150.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the

month July 2007 was +33.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month August 2007 was +23.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of consumer durable goods for the month January to August 2007 was +17.3%.

Volume index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2007 was 148.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month August 2007 was 160.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month July 2007 was +56.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month August 2007 was +15.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of motor vehicles and parts for the month January to August 2007 was +20.6%.

Volume index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2007 was 142.6.

Volume index of retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month August 2007 was 157.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month July 2007 was +37.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month August 2007 was +37.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of electrical goods and photographic equipment for the month January to August 2007 was +22.4%.

Volume index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2007 was 117.5.

Volume index of retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month August 2007 was 116.1.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month July 2007 was +7.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month August 2007 was +7.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of furniture and fixtures for the month January to August 2007 was +6.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was 121.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was 140.6.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was +9.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was +10.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer durable goods, not elsewhere classified for the month January to August 2007 was +2.0%.

Volume index of department stores for the month July 2007 was 120.6.

Volume index of department stores for the month August 2007 was 119.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month July 2007 was +7.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month August 2007 was +8.7%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for department stores for the month January to August 2007 was +7.8%.

Volume index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month July 2007 was 122.1.

Volume index of retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month August 2007 was 112.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and

valuable gifts for the month July 2007 was +20.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month August 2007 was +31.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of jewellery, watches and clocks, and valuable gifts for the month January to August 2007 was +13.7%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2007 was 126.7.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month August 2007 was 116.5.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month July 2007 was +7.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month August 2007 was +7.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods for the month January to August 2007 was +6.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2007 was 123.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month August 2007 was 133.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month July 2007 was +5.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month August 2007 was +2.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of books, newspapers, stationery and gifts for the month January to August 2007 was +2.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2007 was 127.3.

Volume index of retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month August 2007 was 120.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month July 2007 was +25.0%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month August 2007 was +12.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of chinese drugs and herbs for the month January to August 2007 was +12.4%.

Volume index of optical shops for the month July 2007 was 126.0.

Volume index of optical shops for the month August 2007 was 117.7.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month July 2007 was +18.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month August 2007 was +6.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for optical shops for the month January to August 2007 was +15.5%.

Volume index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2007 was 117.2.

Volume index of retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month August 2007 was 109.3.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month July 2007 was +4.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month August 2007 was +4.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of medicines and cosmetics for the month January to August 2007 was +4.7%.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was 138.1.

Volume index of retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was 116.4.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month July 2007 was +8.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere classified for the month August 2007 was +12.4%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of other consumer goods, not elsewhere

classified for the month January to August 2007 was +7.7%.

Note:

1. The figures for supermarkets above do not include sales in supermarket sections of department stores. Supplementary statistics that included such sales are shown below.

Volume index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2007 was 113.9.

Volume index of retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month August 2007 was 112.8.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month July 2007 was +3.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month August 2007 was +5.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of retail sales for retail outlets of supermarkets and supermarket sections of department stores for the month January to August 2007 was +3.0%.

2. Figures for the month July 2007 are revised figures.

3. Figures for the month August 2007 are provisional figures.

4. Volume index monthly average of Oct. 2004 - Sep. 2005=100.

Table Title: Table 3 Movement of the volume of total retail sales, June 2006 - August 2007

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for June 2006 was +3.4%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending June 2006 compared with the 3 months ending March 2006 was +1.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for July 2006 was +5.2%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending July 2006 compared with the 3 months ending April 2006 was +0.3%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for August 2006 was +6.4%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending August 2006 compared with the 3 months ending May 2006 was +0.8%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for September 2006 was +5.9%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending September 2006 compared with the 3 months ending June 2006 was +1.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for October 2006 was +5.2%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending October 2006 compared with the 3 months ending July 2006 was +2.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for November 2006 was +5.0%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending November 2006 compared with the 3 months ending August 2006 was +1.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for December 2006 was +8.2%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending December 2006 compared with the 3 months ending September 2006 was +2.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for January 2007 was -4.9%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending January 2007 compared with the 3 months ending October 2006 was +2.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for February 2007 was +25.2%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending February 2007 compared with the 3 months ending November 2006 was +5.1%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for March 2007 was +3.4%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending March 2007 compared with the 3 months ending December 2006 was +1.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for April 2007 was +1.7%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending April 2007 compared with the 3 months ending January 2007 was +0.2%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for May 2007 was +9.4%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending May 2007 compared with the 3 months ending February 2007 was -2.6%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for June 2007 was +12.8%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending June 2007 compared with the 3 months ending March 2007 was +2.5%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for July 2007 was +12.1%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending July 2007 compared with the 3 months ending April 2007 was +5.9%.

Year-on-year % change of volume of total retail sales for August 2007 was +12.5%.

Rate of change of seasonally adjusted volume of retail sales for the 3 months ending August 2007 compared with the 3 months ending May 2007 was +8.2%.

Notes:

1. Figures for the month August 2007 are provisional figures.

2. Seasonally adjusted series may be revised as more data become available. For retail sales index, the seasonally adjusted series for the preceding three years are revised each year when the figures for January become available.